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UNION LABEL

The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

The weather indications are that it has rained.

This week marks the close of another successful year for our city schools, as successful and profitable a year as any public school in the state has enjoyed, we venture to say.

St. Louis' great exhibition is scheduled to take place next year, but that will not be in the same class with the splendor of the surging flood that overwhelmed a section of the city yesterday, tremendous and magnificent, yet most disastrous withal. The sections that have been praying for a rain fall can pause awhile and extend a hand of sympathy to the thousands that are homeless today through the irresistible floods of water. To judge of the devastation wrought, it is only necessary to imagine the city of Barre under water to the depth of many feet, almost countless houses washed away, the others made uninhabitable and scores of lives lost.

It is a remarkably good showing that the books of the city assessors reveal, as will be seen by the news columns of today's paper. There has been an increase in the grand list of more than three thousand dollars during the year—or to be exact, \$3,048.78. And this increase has been made in spite of the poll exemptions and the exemptions in personal property made possible by act of the recent legislature. The valuation of real estate shows an increase of \$222,201, while personal property shows a gain, although the increase is not large. The most noteworthy increase is in the number of polls, there being 408 more taxable polls than there were last year, the total now being 2,865. There is a good deal of satisfaction in perusing the assessors' figures.

A good deal has been said in the press of this state recently over the minute attention which is paid to the trivialities by the metropolitan newspapers. While it is the business of the newspapers to print the news that is fit to print, and of a few



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newspapers to print that which is not fit to print, there is nevertheless some ground for criticism of the absurdities which are put into type at times. For instance, the following sweet morsels rounded up for the delectation of the readers of its columns, were culled from the local news of the Manchester, N. H., Union in one issue. They cover a wide range of incidents from the nailing of a few clapboards on a little shanty of wood to the rising of the moon over the right shoulders of some sentimentally inclined couples. Here is one,—

"The new ten-footer being erected on Granite street is clapboarded and the front nearly finished."

The item failed to mention whether the clapboards were put on straight, nor did it give the size of nails used. But we pass on to the next bit of intelligence, which is,

"The air was filled with perfume from an immense syringa bush in bloom on Ferry street last evening."

We presume that the next day's items of news chronicled the fact that the "blooms" which were on the syringa bush mysteriously disappeared that night. But to show that nothing escapes the eagle eye of the reporter the following is clipped from the same column,

"A merry party of boys and girls enjoyed themselves last evening playing hide and seek on Tilton street."

Possibly the boys and girls of Manchester rarely indulge in the exciting game of hide and seek, or it may be that they never found occasion to play that game on Tilton street, that the news item should have been told to the ignorant world. But if such important bits of information need heralding, how much more need is there of announcing to the people,

"A bright moon added a sentimental feature to the beautiful weather last night."

With the thoughts of this "sentimental feature" we drop the subject, strong in our contention that the gleaming of news may be overworked.

ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

The contract for building the new 10,000 ton battleship Vermont has been awarded to the Fore River Ship and Engine Co. of Quincy, Mass.

The license commissioners of Rutland at their meeting Tuesday evening decided to disallow all the applications for druggists' licenses, as there is no need of any licenses of this class.

Mrs. W. Seward Webb and her daughter, Miss Frederika, have been summoned to the bedside of Doctor Webb, who is ill in London. Doctor Webb has been ill for some weeks. A member of the family said Doctor Webb was ill in London, but added it was only nervous prostration. It has been rumored that he has pulmonary trouble.

Walter Davis, a carpenter at work on the new granite sheds being erected in Harwick, was seriously injured on Tuesday. Several rafters had been raised which were insufficiently supported. These came down in a bunch and Mr. Davis was struck on the shoulder. No bones were broken but the flesh was severely cut and bruised. His injuries will keep him from work for a number of weeks.

OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS.

Time, the great solvent, seems to be working with slowly increasing momentum toward the ultimate union of British North America with this country. Self interest, if nothing else, on the part of the Canadians will speed the day when the "flag of the free" shall float over the "home of the brave" on all of this continent north of the Rio Grande.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The interests of the United States require every possible effort of friendliness and good offices to promote intimate trade and industrial relations with the vigorous and thriving young nation north of our frontier. Ultimately wise statesmanship will bring the dominion into the United States as a very rich and worthy addition to the American republic.—Cleveland Leader.

Excursion to St. Albans Bay. See ad. on page 3.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Made Up.
George (admirably)—There is Miss Maud. She is a perfect picture.
Clara (with a pout)—Yes, a work of art.—Norristown (Pa.) Times.

Life's Algebra.
We figure some with a, b, c;
We also work with x, y, z.
But when we're serious sums to do
Too oft we call in I. O. U.
—Washington Star.

Popular Phrases.
"What is a sharp intake of the breath?"
"It generally precedes a rapid out-pout of talk."—Life.

Modern Addenda.
"Tis better to
Have loved and lost.
You know how much
Divorces cost."
—Baltimore Herald.

In Conantville.



Bagg—Why, Boxie, you look all done up. What's the matter?
Boxx—Yes, I tried to go on a bust, but the grocer got me on a string and did me up with all this wrapping paper.—New York Times.

STREET CAR SEATS.

The convention of women's clubs of central Illinois favors legislation compelling street railroad companies in that state to provide seats for motor-men and conductors. Some one missed the chance of offering as an amendment, "and passengers also."—Boston Globe.

The Strap Hangers' league, which had its origin in Chicago, has spread to Pittsburg, where those who have to hang to straps in the street cars outnumber those who are able to get seats. The Strap Hangers' league should make its way east. Philadelphia has many thousands of citizens who are eligible to membership.—Philadelphia Press.

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